ON A KENTUCKY FARM.

tions of Aute-Bellum Boyhood The typical boy on a Kentucky farm was tenderly associated from infancy with the negroes of the household and the fields. His old black "mammy" became almost his first mother and was but slowly crowded out of his conscience and his heart by the growing image of the true one. She had perhaps nursed him at her bosom when he was not long enough to stretch across it, sung over his cradle at noon and at midnight, taken enough to stretch across it, sung over his cradie at noon and at midnight, taken him out upon the velvety grass beneath the shade of the elm trees to watch his first manly resolution of standing alone in the world and walking the vast distance of some inches. Often in boyish years when flying from the house with a loud appeal from the incomprehensible code of Anglo-Saxon punishment for small misdemeanors he had run to those black arms and cried himself to sleep in the lap of African sympathy. As he grew older, alasi his first love grew faithless, and while "mammy" was good enough in her way and sphere his wandering affections settled humbly at the feet of another great functionary of the household—the cook in the kitchen. To him her keys were as the keys to the kingdom of heaven, for his immortal soul was his immortal appetite. When he stood by the biscuit bench while she, pausing amid the varied industries that went into the preparation of an old time Kentucky supper, made him marvelous geese of dough, with farinaceous feathers and genuine coffee grains for eyes, there was to him no other artist in the world who possessed the secret of so commingling the useful with the beautiful.

The little half naked imps, too, playing in the dirt like glossy blackbirds taking a bath of dust, were his sweetest—because, perhaps, forbidden—companions. With them he went clandestinely to the fatal duck pond in the stable lot, to learn the art of swimming on a walnut rail. With them he raced up and down the lane on blooded alder stalk horses, afterward leading the exhausted coursers into stables of the same green bushes and haltering them high with a cotton string. It was one of these hatless children of original Guinea that had crept up to him as he lay saleep in the summer grass and told him where the best hidden of all nests was to be found in a far fence corner—that of the high temperade subtrees.

one of these hatless children of original Guinea that had crept up to him as he lay saleep in the summer grass and told him where the best hidden of all nests was to be found in a far fence corner—that of the high tempered, scolding guinea hen. To them he showed his first Barlow knife; for them he blew his first home made whistle. He is their petty tyrant today; to-morrow he will be their repentant friend, dividing with them his marbles and proposing a game of hop scotch. Upon his dialect, his disposition, his whole character, is laid the ineffaceable impress of theirs, so that they pass into the final reckoning up of his life here and in the world to come.

But Uncle Tom—the negro overseer of the place—the greatest of all the negroes—greater even than the cook, when one is not hungry. How often has he straddled Uncle Tom's neck, or ridden behind b'um afield on a barebacked horse to the fingling music of the trace chains! It is Uncle Tom who brings him his first young squirrel to tame, the teeth of which are soon to be planted in his right forefinger. Many a time he slips out of the house to take his dinner or supper in the cabin with Uncle Tom; and during long winter evenings he loves to sit before those great roaring cabin fireplaces that throw their red and yellow lights over the half circle of black faces and on the mysteries of broom making, chair bottoming and the cobbling of shoes. Like the child who listens to "Uncle Remus," he too hears songs and stories, and creeps back to the house with a wondering look in his eyes and a vague hush of spirit.—James Lane Allen in The Century.

How Volapuk Sounds.

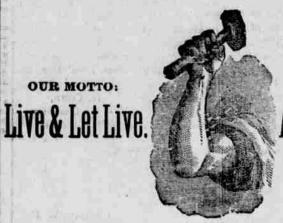
Much as I have heard and read about Volapuk, the new language which M. Bchleyer hopes to make universal, I never heard it talked until last week, when, among the guests at the hospitable table of a well known medical man of literary tastes, there were two guests who had actually sat at the feet of the inventor of Volapuk, so to speak, and started that tongue under his personal direction. To oblige the rest of us, these two visitors—one was a Russian and the other a cosmopolitan—engaged in a conversation in Volapuk for our edification. I would rather not write down in black and white my impression of what I heard. One of the guesta suggested that Volapuk sounded like double Dutch spoken by a Choctaw Indian suffering from a chronic croup, while another suggested it was more like a Welshman trying to cough in modern Greek; but it must not be supposed that I indorse their evidently exaggerated statements. Seriously, however, I do not think that Volapuk sounded like the universal language of the future, though I must say that many of its words seem taken from roots common to our own and the German language.—London Figaro. taken from roots common to our own and the German language.—London Figaro.

Example of Chinese Cruelty. sample of Chinese justice is afforded the case of a half witted youth who, in by the case of a nair witted youth who, in an attack of epilepsy, fatally injured his father. The Chinese law decrees that a son who murders his father, whether he be sane or insane, shall suffer the lingering death—that is, his body is sliced with knives and the torture prolonged for hours. A parallel atrocity was furnished by the sentence to the same torture of by the sentence to the same torture of a young Chinese woman who killed her father-in-law while he was attempting to assault her.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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A. D. Dupp, Register. A. D. DUFF, Register.

(Declaratory Statement No. 1699.)

Pre-emption Notice.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Tucson, Arizona, Nov. 24, 1887, S Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U.S. Land Office at Tucson and Receiver of the U.S. Land Office at Tucson Arizona, on the 18th day of January, 1888, viz: Joseph Tasker, of Tombstone, Arizona, for the S.E. & Sec. 7, T. 20 S. R. 26 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his con-tinuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jas. O. Stanford, J. W. Tedrow, J. W. Sanderson, George Pridham, all of Tomb-stone, Arizona. A. D. DUFF, Register.

Pre-emption Notice.

(Declaratory Statement No. 1904.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Tucson, Arizona, Nov. 22, 1887. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Tuc-son, Arizona, on the 19th day of Jan, 1888, viz. John Wilson Tedrow, of Tombstone, A. T., for the SEM of section 19, T. 20 S. R. 26 E. He names the following sitnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James O. Stanford, George Pridham, Joseph Tasker and W. A. Fuller, all of Tombstone, A. T. A. D. DUFF, Register.

Notice of Homestead Proof.

(Homestead Application No. 175.)

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, TUCSON, Arizona, Nov. 22d, 1887. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Reg-ister and Receiver of the United States Land Office, at Tucson, Ariona, on the 16th day of January, 1888, viz: Francisca Diaz, widow of Jesus Diaz, deceased, of Benson, Arizona, for the W½ and NE¼, SW¼ and NW¾, section 32, T. 15, S. R. 20 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Anto-nio Grijalva, John D. Allen, Antonio Comadu-son, Ramon Pacheco, all of Benson, A. D. DUFF, Register.

Summons.

In the Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1, County of Cachise, Territory of Arizona.

Before Juo C. Easton, a Justice of the

eace.
Cochise County Bank, plaintiff, vs. J. D.
Cochise County Bank, plaintiff, vs. J. D. Merchant, non-resident defendant. Action brought in the said Justice's Court and the complaint filed in the said Court by the said Justice of the Peace in the said County of

ochise.
The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to J. D. Merchant, a non-resident defendant.

You are hereby ammoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the said Justice's Court before the said Justice of the Peace, at his office on Allen street, City of Tombstone, Cochise county aforesaid, and to answer the said com-plaint filed therein, within five days (exclusive o the day of service) after the service on you of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this precinct, or if served without this precinct but in this county, within then days, or if served out of this county within fifteen days; otherwise within twenty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to recover judgment against you for the sum of \$35, the amount of a Bill of Exchange, drawn by you on The State National Bank of El Paso, Texas, and paid by p aintiff together with interest and costs, and you are hereby notified that if you fall to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the plaintiff will apply for judgment by default against you for said sum and all costs. Given under my hand at my said office this a5th day of November A, D. 1887. No. C. BASTON, Justice of the Peace, in and for said Precinct, County and Territory.

THE FELICE MINING COMPANY-LO Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 11th day of November, 1867, an assessment (No. 1) of twenty cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable imme-diately in United States gold coin, to the Sec-retary, at the office of the Company, 224 Mont-

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JNO. C. EASTON, Justice of the Peace in and for said Precinct, County and Territory.

Summons.

In the District Court of the First Judical In the District Court of the First Judical District, of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, Honorine Yimbert plaintiff, vs. Jean Yimbert, defendant, Action brought in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and the complaint filed in the said County of Cochise, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court. The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to Jean Yimbert, defendant You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and to answer and for the County of Cochise, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons (if served within this county, or if served out of this county, but in this district, within twenty days; otherwise within thirty days), or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to recover from

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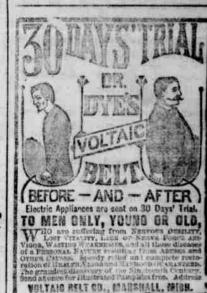
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